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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.

10/827,087

Inventor(s)

Kuangkai Liu

Filed

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Art Unit

3761

Examiner

Michael G. Bogart

Docket No.

9607

Confirmation No.

1863

Customer No.

27752

Title

Disposable Absorbent Articles Having Printed Wetness

Indicators

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application.

The requested extension and fee are as follows:

[X] One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)

<u>\$120</u>

[] Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)

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[] Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be

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required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 16-2480.

A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: April 10, 2006 Customer No. 27752 (ExtensionOfTime.doc) (Last Revised 11/22/2005)

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